COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

ISSUED EVERY FILDLY MORNING BY ESTELLA GARBERT, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

in going to Portland, and interview seat agitation. It will take 10 years of 2 extra mills then no removal will be made, and contending settler could be shown the advantages and inducements to intending residents in a way that would appeal to his better indepent.

It will take 10 years of 2 extra mills then no removal will be made, and contending the posed, and but few of the many agitators for a change, would agree to have this amount of mone; expended at St. Helers, where the county buildings now of temporary values and other necessary costs in case of removal.

without cost or price. Lane county has secured hundreds of new immigrants by sending representatives to Portland to meet them, and Columbia county can by sending representatives to Portland to meet them, and Columbia county can to meet them, and Columbia county can ord his vote for St. Helens and "no on the first Monday in July, 1963, said

Columbia county is taking the lead in the metter of thorombred cattle. There is a healthy rivalry among the importers and breeders of the different variaties of thoroughbreds, that spurs them. on to secure only the best-prize winners. Aside from this spirit of rivalry, the most perfect thoroughbreds for their own herds, and their patrons reap the benefit of this condition. The Holstein herd of P. A. Frahm. The Holstein Mrs. Emma Smith Mrs. Chart. benefit of this condition. The Holstein Mrs. Emma Soith, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. herd of P. A. Frakes, the Herefords, Fannie Brown and Miss Lou Peterson kept on the Honeyman place by M. Col-were Portland visitors last week. line, and the Jersey herds of H. West, are all governed by these favorable conditions. Mr. West recently brought from the East a carload of the very best Jerseys obtainable.

A number of persons have stated that before they are willing to cast their ballots for the removal of the county seat to Rainier, they are desirous of seeing an abstract of the proposed court house block, and suggest that it be made over to a trustee for the purposes intended. to a trustee for the purposes intended. ment. He has been suffering with pleushould the county seat semrin at St. risy of the heart for the past two weeks. Helens, the expense of building a new court house will be avoided until the county has more population, and there is an increase in the taxable property. The old court house will answer all purposes for several years yet.

creek in Eastern Oregon last Suaday atternoon, killing over 200 persons, and entailing heavy property losses is the most unurual occurrence that ever took of his neighbors brought him one small phe, the people of Oregon have shown their sympathy by liberal donations to

penalty for violating the provisions of Edwin Ross, this act is a fine of \$10. The bound of health consists of County Judge Doan. and Dr. Cliff. A full text of the act will be given next week.

Residents of Columbia county, who have never heard Chaplain Gilbert, of the Second Oregon, give his famous lecture on the Filipinos and Philippines, should not fail to hear him this (Friday) evening in the St. Helens Methodist church. It will be one of the opportupities in life, that should not be missed.

Clatskanie deserves special credit for her road and sidewalk improvements. and putside of the county tax expended on the road the money has been raised raised by private subscription. The gity council was not asked to donate one

Miss Ellen Stone has announced her intention of returning to Bulgaria. Should she succeed in getting captured again, however, she will have to stay paptured. The people have seen her -Engene Guard.

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A Solid Business Man and Ex-County Official, Who Knows Whercof He Speaks, Gives Some Facts and Figures on the Proposed County Seat Remoral.

Editor of Tue More county seat question as handled by "X terms Ray" last week has proved an eye-open

J. G. WATTS.

DEERISLAND.

Mrs. S. E. Dixon and sons, Claude of Columbia county and Joe are visiting friends and relatives at Vancouver, Wash.

The Nehalem & Columbia Logging Company have laid off all their men, securing the best that can be obtained after the Columbia river begins to

Thomas Connell moved over 100 head

of cattle off his island farm Monday, Deer Island Grange met Saturday,

and after lodge Lours, a very nice lun-cheon was served.

Mrs. Ann Merrill, of St. Johns, has been visiting with her son, C. A. Mer-rill. Mrs. Merrill is in poor health at present, suffering from an attack of

Mrs. M. S. Shearer took her lattle son, Elmer to Portland Saturday for treat-

His Last Hope Realized.

In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortwas among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine day in April. During his traveling about bia county for said second special election, and afterwards his camping upon his called the second special election, and the electors of said county to said second special election, and the electors of said county The cloudburst that destroyed Hepp- claim, he encountered much bad water, per, Iope and Lexington on Willow which together with the severe heat, place in Oregon. Following in the wake of the terrible and heart rending catastro- A big dose was given him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agtheir sympathy by liberal donations to the sufferers.

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THE ENABLING OR COUNTY SEAT REMOVAL ACT.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS.

Below will be found the act providing for the re-location of the county scat of Columbia county. We trust that every reader of this paper will carefully examine the variou- provisions of a Scarroose. One., June 16-The in order to properly understand its

Attention is called to section 4, which

county seat question as handled by "X

Mention is called to section 4, which sear of the county, and right well it should.

Six months.

June 19, 1983.

This paper is kept on file at the Oregon Priess Association Roson 9, Handled by "N"

WE CAN SECURE IMMIGRATION.

Never was a more opportune time than now to turn a part of the tide of immigration daily striving from the East than now. And it can 1's do with slight expense. Pertland people and the Harriman lines have done the atthetish most of the search and the Harriman lines have done the adventising, that is bringing thousand of Eastern people to the state. Cotum-bia county has done nothing, except is accounty on three individual instances.

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better judgment.

A meeting of Columbia county citizens should be called at once to lay plans for the matter. It is too golden an opportunity to let pass into futurity. Such portunity to let pass into futurity. Such ghances to build up a comparatively settled county come only once in a lifetime. Here is the great opportunity to secure desirable new people, almost without cost or price. Lane county has

election to be conducted under the general election laws, as general elections for state and county officers are conducted. At said special election the electors of Columbia county shall vote for a permanent location for county seat

Sec. 2. There shall be placed upon the official beliefs prepared for the elec-ters of Columbia county at said special election the words, "For county seat of Columbia County," "Vote for one," and Columbia County," "Vote for one," and below these words there shall be placed in alphabetical order, and numbered consecutively, the names of all places or towns put in nomination. There shall also be left one blank space after the last name in which the voter may write the name of any other town or place not on said ticket that he may desire to vote for. Nominations for county sent shall be made by petition of 50 or more electors and no election's manuschall space. tors, and no election's name shall appear on more than one petition, and said pe-titions shall be prepared and fired with titions shall be prepared and fined with the county clerk in the same manner as certificates of nomination made by indi-vidual electors under the Australian ballot law are prepared and filed. Elec-tors shall prepare, mack, and cast their ballots as prescribed by the Australian ballot law, and that town or place shall be the county seat of Columbia county, which shall receive a majority of all the which shall receive a majority of all the votes cast at the said election.

Sec. 3. In case no town or place shall receive a majority of yotes cast as provided in sec. 2 of this art, a second special election shall be held on the first Monday in August, 1903, to be conducted as said first special election was conducted, and at said second special election the two towns or places receiving the largest and next to the largest number of the said second special election. the largest and next to the largest nom-ber of number of votes at said first specshall vote upon said two towns or places on Tide creek last week for county seat in the same manner as for county sent in the same manner as at said first election, and that town or place receiving the greatest number of week. They returned home Tuesday. votes shall become the permanent Mrs. George Snyder and son are visite county seat of Columbia county: Pro- ing friends at Woodland, Wash., this vided, that if two towns or places shall receive the largest and equal number of votes at said first election, the names of those two towns or places shall be placed upon the ballot to be voted at the said W. A.

Sec. 4. In case a choice is made at the said first election, the town or place upon which the ch ice has fallen shall be the permanent county sent from and after the first day of November, 1905. In case the choice is not made until the second election, the town or place chosen shall be the permanent county sent of Columbia county from and after the first day of November, 1903.

At the annual school election held Monday, very little interest was shown. J. M. Lindsay was re-elected director for a term of three years, and T. C. Watts was re-elected school cherk.

Mrs. L. C. Jaquish and daughter, Miss day of November, 1903.

day of becember, 1903.

Sec. 5. The county court of Columbia county shall make all necessary provisions for county buildings, either by lease, erection, or otherwise, and for the removal of all records, books, papers, and property deemed advisable by said county county court to remove of said Columbia county to such town or place as may be selected as the permanent county seat of Columbia county unde-

the provisions of this act. Ses. 6. Owing to the urgent necessity of providing better accommodations for county offices and greater security for public records, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act shall be in full force and effect from its approval by the Governor.

Vernonia Grange Will Celebrate the Pourth of July.

Vernonia, June 15-Editor Mist; Vernonia, June 15—Estitor Mist:
Vernonia tirange No. 305 is making arrangements to celebrate the Fourth of July, and extends an invitation to the Granges in the Nehalem valley to join with us; also the people in the vicinity.
The intention is to hold a basket picnic, the committee on arrangements being S. G. Schoonover, chairman; William Wilson, Mrs. William Wilson, Ida Mellinger, Ellen Mills.
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The committee on the program of mu-The committee on the program of mu-sic, litarary exercises and games, con-sists of J. E. Dow, chairman; B. W. Shanahan and S. B. Richards. Anyons interested in the music, literary exer-cises or games program will please cor-respond or see members of the commit-

S. G. Schoonover was appointed mar-shal of the day. S. G. Schoonover, Lecturer.

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RAINI-R

Thunder shower Sanday, Something usual for Western Oregon. The Columbia is washing the lower Clarence Adions.

dge of the Rainier docks. All the logging camps are running in all blast, including the Yeon, Petton

Сошрану. Joe Doherty's new halding is rapilly pearing completion. Charles Clark is doing the work.

As the Rainier basefull club's purse is empty, the young ladies have taken pity on the boys, and will give a booker so cial and dance on the 10th for the bem-

Orison Dutcher, the Ralnier hoss car penter, is putting the finishing touches on George Stoddard's new house,

ern Alberia, state that the great storm that swept through Idaho and Montana did not reach there.

Driven to Desperation.

REUBEN.

Miss Louise Morel visited her mother toward building a large public church

Watts was re-elected school clark.

Mrs. L. C. Jaquish and daughter, Miss Jessie Jaquish, of Portland, returned home Monday, after a few days visit with Mrs. Ray E. Watts.

Mrs. Jane Myers, of Goldendale, Wash, sturned home Wednesday, after a three days' visit with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Conboy.

Taken Up.

Notice is hereby given that the un-dersigned has taken up a pointer bluch about six month old. Owner can have the same by proving property and pay-ing expenses with 10 days. St. Helens, Ore., June 19th.

School Elections.

At the St. Helens school election held Monday C. W. Blakesley was elect-ed director to succeed Dr. Edwin Ross, who declined a re-election, baying served two terms. H. P. Warkins was rescheded cherk without convenies re-cleated clerk without opposition. Notwinstanding a 6,000 school building was erected during the past year, the district is in good financial condition, and it is expected that an addition and it is expected that an additional tracher will be employed during the coming school year.

In the Houlton district Leslie Bailey was elected for three years to succeed N. A. Perry, whose term of office had expired. G. W. Perry was elected director to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Lindley Merker. A. N. Clark was re-elected cierk.

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VERNONIA.

We will be on deck July the 6th. There will be a log time at Vernouis

H. G. Downing will move into his

Dr. Hatfield is putting up a large barn Mas, G. W. R ce and family went to farmington, Wash, to visit her daugh-ter. Mr. Rice has so far recovered from his rheumatism as to be able to get

A Sword has the contrast for earrying the mail on the new route up Pobbic crock,

Albert Word went to St. Helens for a load at goods.

Joseph Reed will make a trip to Portland for a load of goods for H. is. Downing, during this week.

We are sorry to hear of the death of

Miss Aima T-coop came home list Sat-W. P. Tucker, the mail carrier, had quite a time last Monday, It was quite

late when he got in Hatter King Dow monds a trip to Honfore with a lead of beryer, Postmater Die Lousey is putting by a new lence around his residence.

Horse slice pitching grows are all the good evening, at Vernonia. Write Alen and Ed See . man are the champion

How about that county sent? We of Letters received here from Northwests St. Helons and Pittsburg road is not put

The Pittsburg sawnill or now running

A. P. Schoonover was seen in Verna Hattie Bedman is visiting her mother S. P., Bailard, of Pittsburg, went o St. Helene one day host week after he mother and sister, who come over to spend a new weeks in the Sekalem val

ley. They are from Oregon City. There are a few cases of mamps in this vicinity.

Miss Alma Troop will visit her par-cuts a few weeks, before returning to her school east of the mountains.

A public Sunday-school will soon be a Startling Evidence

Fresh testimony in great quantity is vided, that if two towns or places shall receive the largest and equal number of yotes at said first election, the names of those two towns or places acade at the said second election as herein or wided: And provided further, that if one town or place receive the largest and an equal number of votes at said first special election, the names of those three towns or places acade at said first special election, the names of those three towns or places as a choice is made at the ballot to be voted at sald election.

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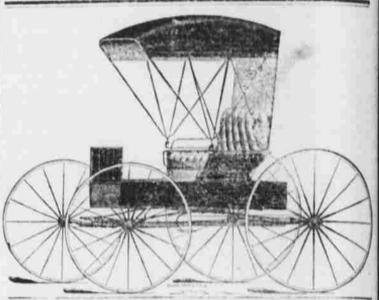
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